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Deer Management Assistance Program coupons to be distributed August 9

RAYSTOWN LAKE, Pa. — The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Raystown Lake will begin distributing Deer Management Assistance Program (DMAP) coupons Saturday, Aug. 9, from 7 a.m. - 5 p.m., in the Multipurpose Room in Seven Points Area visitor center. The Corps will make the DMAP coupons available on a first-come, first-served basis, with distribution continuing into Sunday, Aug. 10, during regular business hours, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., until the coupons are exhausted. The Corps has 1,200 DMAP coupons to distribute for the 2008/2009 hunting season. These coupons allow for harvesting only antlerless deer during any deer season at selected areas of the Raystown Lake project.

The areas enrolled in DMAP for 2008 include Corps property near Parks Orchard, Ridenour Overlook, downstream of the Dam and Terrace Mountain from Weavers Falls Bridge to the Dam.

With the successful achievement of forest regeneration goals, the Corps removed approximately 12,000 acres from the DMAP Program, to include the western side of the lake. Areas not enrolled in DMAP include hunting areas know as Bowser's Orchard, Seven Points, Old Loggers Trail, Upper Corners, Mitigation Area, Brumbaugh, Fouse's Crossing, James Creek, High Germany, Clappers Ridge and Gate 35. However, these areas will continue to be open to normal hunting activities, and hunters may continue to harvest does using a 4A tag, and bucks using their antlered tag.

Individuals may register for up to two coupons for themselves and one another person, provided they have the name, address and phone number of the second individual.

The Corps also honors mail-in requests. Applications must include a request for up to two coupons for only one individual and post-marked on or after the August 4. Requests must contain the name, address and phone number of the individual and include a self addressed stamped, business sized return envelope.

Mail-in requests should be sent to DMAP, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Raystown Lake, 6145 Seven Points Road, Hesston, Pa., 16647. Requests postmarked prior to August 4 will be placed at the end of the list.

For more information on Raystown Lake hunting opportunities and the DMAP program, visit <http://raystown.nab.usace.army.mil/LandManagement/hunting.htm>

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